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**Judge Sharswood on Legal Tenders—Extract from His Opinion in the Case of Bortie vs. Trott:**

"On the whole, then, I am of the opinion that the provision of the act of Congress of February 26th, 1862, declaring the notes issued in pursuance of that act to be lawful money, *and a legal tender*, is UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

"This renders it necessary that I should consider the other question which has been made, as to the effect of the special agreement to pay in lawful silver money of the United States. I am in favor of entering judgment for the plaintiff, but as a majority of the court are of a different opinion, judgment for the defendant."
—*Copied from the Philadelphia Age of February*, 1864, where the opinion is published in full.

It may also be found in the *Legal Intelligencer* of March 18, 1864, page 92.

In the same copy of the *Age* is a carefully prepared eulogy of the Judge and his opinion, in which is the following:

"Judge Sharswood reasons upon and decides the case as if he were some lofty spirit sitting far above and out of the contentions and strifes of the world."

Will not the holders of greenbacks and Government bonds consider the Judge as quite too elevated and ethereal for such earthly honors as a seat on the Supreme Bench?

### PITTSBURGH FEMALE COLLEGE.

In this day of advanced ideas and social refinement, woman is called upon to play no unimportant part in society. Her influence enters, and is more or less felt, in religion, politics, literature, art, and science. Upon her devolves the important duty of shaping and moulding the mind of the rising generation—those who are to follow us, as we followed others, and into whose keeping, one day, will be reposed the affairs of State, and of Christianity. The mother is the greatest educator of the land. She guides the footsteps of her child through life with care and caution; teaches the youthful idea the pleasures and happiness of virtue, and the misery and wretchedness of vice. On woman the nation depends for the quality of its citizens. Her responsibility is great; her mission even higher than man's. Deeds of daring which render famous their author cannot be attributed to the mere flesh and blood of man, but to that immortal spirit which is within him, and which controls his every act. How often through this spirit speaks the soul of the mother, who photographed on the mind of the child her own emotions, her faith, her discrimination and her every thought? She is content to remain in the background while the world marvel and admire the son grappling with fame, and each hour clutching new honors within his grasp.

Perhaps the day is not far distant when females will be called to act the full part of citizens in our country. Movements are already under way which now seem to point out in the near future, a political change which will place the ballot, the great gift of a free nation, into the hands of women. How important is it then in a view of woman's mission as an educator now, and of the not uncertain elevation to the right of suffrage in the future, that she should be afforded all the opportunities offered by the country to improve her mind and develope the talents and genius with which she has been gifted by an All Wise Providence? Parents to-day are surrounded with educational establishments whereat their daughters may receive tuition which, while storing the mind with valuable practical knowledge, will likewise tone the tastes, subdue the passions, and elevate the ideas to a proper conception of the all important mission which they will have to perform in after life. Of such a character is our Pittsburgh Female College, an institution which has contributed as largely, perhaps, as any similar one in the country, in proportion to its time of operation, to the elevation of female character. It has kept apace with the times, and under the management of Rev. I. C. PERSHING, D. D., its accomplished President, has been elevated to a first position amongst the colleges of the land. As an institution of Pittsburgh our citizens are justly proud of this College, and we trust that its merits will be fully appreciated abroad as well as at home, and that it will continue to receive the encouragement and support of parents and guardians having girls to educate.

From the report of the Committee appointed by the Method st Conference to visit the College, we make the following extract:

In regard to the financial condition of the College, we are pleased to say that upwards of $56,000 have been secured towards an endowment, conditioned on the payment of the existing debt of $20,000. Nearly one-half of this has already been secured, and one hundred good friends could not do a better service to the cause of education than to give $100 each to make sure this $76,000 to the College. We most sincerely hope that there are enough lovers of the institution, and who have the interest of female education sufficiently at heart, to at once come up to the accomplishment of this work. And then when this is done, let there be a determined effort to so endow the several chairs, as to place the institution on a firm and easy financial basis.

The Faculty, as we have seen, is large —larger indeed than any institution under the care of the M. E. Church in the United States—of unquestioned ability, and devoted to the work in which they are engaged. They have evidently acquired a commanding influence over their pupils, and the evidence of a good and wholesome, though strict discipline, are clearly discernible in the various departments of the College. In consequence of the large number of pupils in the music department, it has been found best to make a change in the arrangements, and the trustees are now negotiating with one of the finest musicians and composers in the country to come and devote his entire time and attention to the music department.

The College is doing a noble work for the church and the world; and we most heartily commend it to the liberality and patronage of the community. Under the care and management of Dr. Pershing, it has succeeded to a surprising degree, and has steadily increased in its patronage, drawing its pupils largely from distant sections of the country as well as being sustained by a numerous home attendance.

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ONE Capt. McNelty has just been made pay the penalty of his too close discrimination in the character of first class passengers he carried on his vessel. He refused Miss Fannie Rollin a first class passage from Beaufort to Charleston because she was unfortunate enough to be black. A court martial found him guilty of an offense and fined him $250, for his bad example, a sentence confirmed by Gen. Sickles.

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A MEETING of many of the prominent members of the legal fraternity of Washington virtually sustained Judge Fisher in his recent action in the Bradley case.

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ANOTHER distressing boating accident is reported this morning from Dover, N. H., by which seven persons were drowned.

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GEORGIA is preparing for reconstruction. Republican organizations have been established in every city, town and village.

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THE document removing General Sheridan from the command of the Fifth Military District is published in another column. The hero is required to report in person at headquarters of the Secretary of War at Washington, before accepting the Missouri Department. Thus an opportunity will be afforded the people for paying some token of their esteem and admiration to the gallant officer, patriot and statesman.

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IT HAS BEEN DECIDED in the United States District Court of New York that a married woman may be declared bankrupt under the involuntary clause of the bankrupt act.

## GENERAL NEWS.

—It is stated that Postmaster Wilson, at New Albany, has fallen heir to a million of dollars in England.

—A Webster, Mass., woman found another woman too familiar with her husband and horsewhipped her.

—Miss Emily Schonberg, the Philadelphia beauty, said to be the handsomest women in America, is "only" about forty.

—On Sunday, the 17th ultimo., Brigham Young, in a sermon preached at Willow Creek, accused his Bishops of drunkenness.

—It is said that Beecher is writing a five act drama for Edwin Booth. The hero is old John Brown, the ghostly spiritual pedestrian.

—Ladies who have a disposition to punish their husbands, should recollect that a little warm sun will melt an icicle much sooner than a regular Northeaster.

—Frederick William Kaseman, of Sgamokin township, Northumberland county, died on Thursday last at the advanced age of 107 years, 1 month and 22 days.

—Edmund About says there are two things in this world which a man does not often find away from home; the first it good soup, the second is disinterested love!"

—The most interesting political question at Montreal just now is whether Thomas D'Arcy McGee, who is trying to get elected to Parliament, is sometimes sober or always drunk.

—A Chicago paper makes this frank acknowledgment: "Things seem to be rapidly approaching a condition when no man in Chicago will know whether he is a married man or not."

—Mrs. Blood, who caught the pickpocket while rifling her pockets, at Ballston, N. Y., the other day, and held him until he was taken into custody, is eighty years old. She's a full blood.

—The Canadians are going to erect a monument to Malcolm McKenzie, one of the volunteers who fell at the Fenian battle of Ridgeway, and with characteristic economy, have let out the job to the lowest bidder.

—A New York evening paper says it takes $550 in cents every day on an average from its sales which would be 210,000 pennies a week, or 63,000,000 a year, enough to fill a room 12½ by 10½ feet in size, and 8½ feet high.

—The new society for the suppression of gambling at New York is already in trouble, on account of sharpers who pretend to be its agents and go around begging funds in its behalf, which are expended for their own benefit.

—An undertaker in Quincy, Ill., named Krierger, was fatally poisoned last week while handling the body of Henry Voth, who had hung himself; a scratch on the hand having come in contact with froth from the mouth of the suicide.

—A disease with symptoms similar to, and which is believed, to be rinderpest, the great cattle scourge so lately prevailing in Europe, has made its appearance in Bucks county, Pennsylvania. So far it has only affected the cows of two neighborhoods in Solesbury town.

—A Boston colored letter-carrier, named J. C. Hogan, has been detected in a series of heavy robberies from the Post Office, and bound over in the sum of three thousand dollars for trial. He supported a wife and children in fine style, and kept a white mistress at a fashionable house of ill repute.

—A lawyer addressed the Court as "gentlemen," instead of your Honors. After he had concluded, a brother of the bar reminded him of his error. He immediately arose to apologize thus: May it please the Court—in the name of the State I called your Honors gentlemen. I made a mistake, and beg your pardon."

—The exhibition of Van Amburgh's menagerie at Fairfield, Iowa, on the 12th, drew such a crowd that several women fainted, and two children were crushed to death in their mother's arms. A farmer named Overman was thrown from a wagon while retiring from the exhibition, and run over and almost instantly killed.

—Why hair turns suddenly white under excitement: "During the prevalence of the nervous shock the normal fluids of the hair are suddenly drawn inward toward the body, in unison with the generally contracted and collapsed state of the surface, and the vacuities thus left present the appearance of globules filled with air." See it?

—Miss Williams ran away from wealthy parents in Georgia, because they insisted on her marrying a man obnoxious to her, and came to New York to earn her own living. When she found what earning her own living in New York meant, she went into the East river from a ferry boat, on Friday, and settled all the vexing questions of this life.

—A little girl, daughter of Dr. F. W. Wall, of Hampshire county, Va., ten years old, was bitten by a rattlesnake in her father's garden. While reaching for a stone with which to strike the snake, the poisonous reptile sprang at her from a distance of five feet, inserting its fangs in the hand of the child between the thumb and fore finger. By timely application of proper remedies, the life of the child was saved.

—The distance from Philadelphia to San Francisco, by way of Chicago, is three thousand three hundred miles. If a train should run at the rate of twenty miles per hour, including stoppages, which is perhaps the average rate on railroads in this country, it would require a little less than seven days to accomplish the distance. As for grades the traveller will ascend from the level of Delaware or Baltimore or San Francisco to a height of eight thousand two hundred and forty-two feet, or over a mile and a half, at Evan's Pass.

—Speaking of the ball to the Sultan, at London, a correspondent says: "When the preparations for the dance were completed the Prince spoke to an equerry, the equerry walked across the room to a lady and said, 'Madame, the Prince of Wales will be most happy if you will commence the dancing!' and turning to see what lady was thus honored, I found that the royal invitation had been addressed to Mrs. John Wood, of New York, who courteously declined it. Mrs. Wood was regally dressed in a robe of satin, trimmed with pearls, with ornaments of pearls and diamonds."

—Of the reported silver mine in Cedar county, Missouri, the *Southwest Tribune* of the 2d inst. says: "We have been slow to believe in the actual existence of large quantities of silver on our county, but seeing it and handling it have at length overcome all doubts, and we are now thoroughly satisfied. We have seen a large amount of ore, and our opinion, verified by that of those more experienced than ourself, is that it will yield about twenty per cent. of silver. Nor are the mines confined to a small territory; already have excellent indications been found through a distance of nearly twenty miles."

—People who have visited Cleveland will remember the bluff up which they must climb to reach the city from the depot. The *Herald* says: "While the railroad companies, the city, or somebody else, are trying to decide who shall wall this up, the bank is giving away, the property above is depreciating in value, and the residents are in danger of going over, bag and baggage. Almost every day there is a land slide which carries away some six or eight feet of earth, and at this rate, which, with the fall and winter rains will be increased, the houses half way to Lake street are in danger of going over before next spring."

—A correspondent at Sweetwater, Illinois, writes: In this village, yesterday, in front of a drinking saloon, occurred a fight which resulted in the death of an ex-rebel officer whose name is Warner, formerly of the Sixth Georgia Infantry, and who had been in the habit of abusing Union soldiers. A few days since a young man named S. M. Green came here on a visit. In company with a soldier friend, Green drank a health to the old flag. Warner heard it, and immediately ordered Green to take it back, saying if he did not he would "send him to h—l." Green replied that he "couldn't see it," at the same time putting his hand behind him. Warner then raised a chair, whereupon Green drew a revolver and fired, the ball taking effect in Warner's head. Warner lived ten minutes. Green has left for parts unknown, but he would be entirely safe to remain here.

# FIRST EDITION.

## MIDNIGHT.

## THE DEED DONE!

## Order for General Sheridan's Removal.

### THE PRESIDENT'S COMMAND AND GRANT'S EXECUTION THEREOF!

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20, 1867.

The following order was issued to-day:

GENERAL ORDER, No. 77. *Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, August 19th.*

*First*—The following orders have been received from the President:

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, August 17th, 1867.

Major General George H. Thomas is hereby assigned to the command of the Fifth Military District, created by act of Congress passed on the 2d day of March, 1867.

Major General Winfield S. Hancock is hereby assigned to the command of the Department of the Missouri.

Major General Winfield S. Hancock is hereby assigned to the command of the Department of the Cumberland.

The secretary of War *ad interim* will give the necessary instructions to carry this order into effect.

[Signed] ANDREW JOHNSON.

*Second*—In pursuance of the foregoing order of the President of the United States, Major General G. H. Thomas will, on receipt of the order, turn over his command to the officer next in rank to himself, and proceed to New Orleans, La., to relieve Major General P. H. Sheridan of the command of the Fifth Military District.

*Third*—Major General P. H. Sheridan, on being relieved from the command of the Fifth Military District by Major General G. H. Thomas, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and relieve Major General W. S. Hancock in command of the Department of the Missouri.

*Fourth*—Major General W. S. Hancock, on being relieved from the command of the Department of the Missouri by Major General P. H. Sheridan, will proceed to Louisville, Ky., and assume command of the Department of the Cumberland.

*Fifth*—Major General G. H. Thomas will continue to execute all orders he may find in force in the Fifth Military District at the time of his assuming command of it, unless authorized by the General of the Army to annul, alter or modify them.

*Sixth*—Major General Sheridan, before relieving Major General Hancock, will report in person at these headquarters.

By command of Gen. Grant

[Signed] E. D. TOWNSEND,
[Official.] A. A. G.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20, 1867.

THE REMOVAL OF SHERIDAN.

The New York *Times'* special, after stating that the President had issued a positive order for the removal of Gen. Sheridan, says: "The President's order was received by General Grant and was positive in its terms, leaving no alternative but compliance. Nevertheless, it is known that Grant visited the President and entered his earnest protest against the removal. The President was immovable, and the order will be transmitted with instructions through the Adjutant General's office. The order directing the change has not been made public, neither have the views of General Grant upon the subject, which are understood not to have been expressed in any writing. There is the best of authority for stating that he regards the movement as most unfortunate, though the change of Thomas for Sheridan will not change the character of the execution of the laws, unless the latter should be hampered by the new instructions."

CABINET MATTERS.

Although there is no reason to believe that any further Cabinet changes will be made, it is an undeniable fact that the virulent attacks upon Secretary McCulloch, now emanating from certain quarters, are in view of effecting his removal. Numerous names are mentioned in connection with the office, but none more prominently than that of Hon. John J. Cisco. There is no probability, however, that the opposition to McCulloch will effect anything, although it proceeds from quarters generally friendly to the administration.

The story that Judge Advocate General Holt has been granted leave of absence until the 5th of September, preparatory to his removal, has no foundation other than that the 5th of September is exactly six months to a day from the date he was graciously invited by Secretary Stanton, which he was enjoying when the late assault on him was made.

Secretary Browning who was taken ill with a congestive chill is at his office to-day.

The Acting Attorney General is said to be preparing another statement in the Ashley-Butler-Conover matter. Another one will probably bring Mr. Stanbery back.

General Pelouze, of the War Department, goes to the Department of Dakotah on special duty, and will return here on its completion.

BRADLEY-FISHER DIFFICULTY.

A meeting of about thirty members of the bar, held to-day at F. P. Stanton, unanimously adopted resolutions disapproving of the irregular methods of reviewing orders of the Court, asserting that it was a mere error to suppose the rights of attorneys could be maintained by personal vituperation or by physical violence, and also approving the propriety of Courts punishing for contempt. This action refers to the Bradly-Fisher difficulty.

COURT MARTIAL SENTENCE APPROVED.

General Sickles, on the 17th, approved of the sentence of court martial in the case of Captain McNulty, of the steamer Pilot Boy, for refusing to grant a first class passage to Miss Francis Rollin, from Charleston to Bufort, on his steamer, because of caste or color. The sentence was a fine of $250.

REPORT FROM GEN. SICKLES OF PUNISHMENTS INFLICTED.

An order of General Sickles, recieved here to-day, details the trial, conviction and sentence of certain parties for taking a colored girl from a school house to the woods, and inflicting one hundred and forty lashes upon her, because she resisted being whipped by a daughter of one of the parties, the negro girl successfully whipping the white.

Abram Jenkins, a Justice of the Peace, was sentenced to be removed from office, fined $25, and imprisoned at hard labor one month. Six other parties concerned were likewise fined and imprisoned.

One Saunders, for whipping a negro boy and girl, was fined twenty dollars and imprisoned one month.

The above occurred at Plymouth, N. C., and the commanding officer there is ordered to see that the sentences be executed.

MILITARY BULLETIN.

Colonel Ludington has been ordered to New Mexico. Colonel H. Clay Wood has been ordered to Russian America, with General Rosseau.

CONVALESCENT.

Secretary Browning is better to-day, but is unable to leave his bed.

TURKISH MINISTER.

The Turkish Minister had an interview with Secretary Seward to-day, and will be presented to the President to-morrow.

## FROM CALIFORNIA.

### Active Political Canvass—Shipping in Port—Religious Services in Theatres, &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, August 19.—The mail steamship Sacramento, for Panama, to-day, took only $287,422 in treasure, nearly all for New York, the smallest shipment in two years.

The political canvass throughout the State is the most active for many years.

No fresh arrivals lately. There are sixty-four vessels now in port, exclusive of steamers and domestic coasters. Eighty per cent. of the tonnage is under engagement for grain. Wheat is still coming forward freely.

Rev. Dr. Stebbins yesterday inaugurated religious services in the theatres, having an immense audience, and preached a broad church sermon.

Arrived, steamer Continental, from Oregon. The general crops of that State are good; hay is deficient. The experiment with flax is very successful.

General Crook had two engagements with the Indians last week at Pueblo Mountains, Idaho, routing them.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 20.—The Continental, from Portland, brought one hundred and ten thousand dollars in treasure. Arrived, steamer Active, with mails from Victoria for this port last evening with two hundred and two thousand dollars in gold from the North mines.

The ship Der West brought from Hong Kong gold and silver of the value of three hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars, mostly on account of a small shipment by Panama.

The Mexicans of California have issued a manifest approving of the execution of Maximilian.

## FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

### The Conflict of Jurisdiction—Marshal Goodloe Receives an Order from Washington.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WILMINGTON, August 20.—The *Journal* of Saturday says: We learn that United States Marshal Goodloe, acting under an order from Washington City, has ordered Deputy United States Marshal Neff, of this place, to execute the process of the Circuit Court of the United States, heretofore stopped by military order, with instructions to forward the name of any officer interfering in order that he may be prosecuted under the criminal law of the United States.

Colonel Frank, Post Commander, acting under orders from District Headquarters, had again interfered to prevent the execution of the process, as being in violation of General Order No. 11.

### Yellow Fever on Shipboard.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BOSTON, August 20.—The brig Ocean Belle, arrived to-day from Havana, brings the remains of Captain Thornton, who died on board of yellow fever. Two of the crew died on the passage and two cases are now on board. The vessel was sent to quarantine.

GALVESTON, August 20.—A. W. Clegy and Mrs. Capt. W. Talgert, of New York, were among the interments to-day. There were thirty interments on Monday.

## SOUTH AMERICA AND AUSTRALIA.

**Gold Mines at Barbadoes—Chili-Peru Affairs—Terrible Calamity at Sydney—Five Days' Rains and Five Days' Gales — Destruction of Property, Loss of Life, Much Suffering, &c., &c.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The steamer ARIZONA, from Aspinwall, brings $944,000 California treasure.

The construction of the Costa Rica Inter-Oceanic Railroad will be commenced at an early day.

General Gutierrez, President of Columbia, reached Panama from England *en route* to Bogota.

The United States steamer Susquehanna had arrived at Aspinwall, bringing flattering accounts from the Barbadoes mines. One hundred and thirty-two pounds of gold were taken out in three weeks and forwarded to Europe. The American mining Company in the interior of Conea had been very successful.

A battle occurred at Rio Hache, between the adherents of Mosquera and those of the Columbian Government, without result, except the destruction of the town. Neither acknowledged being beaten, and each held their position. About two hundred were killed and wounded.

Advices from Chili are unimportant. The official relations between Peru and Brazil are interrupted. The Brazilian Envoy left Lima in consequence of a misunderstanding relative to oriental alliance.

Gen Hovey, American Minister at Peru, had gone to Chili, it is believed with the object of facilitating negotiations for peace with Spain. The Chilian Minister returned to Peru, showing that the best relations exist between the governments.

The Peruvian Congress had annulled the law allowing a Minister to be sent to Mexico, because the person appointed was not considered a proper one.

The port of Rico, near Chinchas, had been declared open.

A decree was issued on the 22d of July prohibiting the entrance of any Spaniard into Peru.

Sydney, Australia, advices to July 1st, state that the most devastating calamity ever visited that colony. Five days rains flooded the country and five days gales dashed helpless wrecks on the coasts. The highest marks were fully and seventy-five feet above the ordinary level. Hundreds of houses were swept away, thousands of live stock killed, the crops ruined, and many lives lost. One hundred of nine were drowned, and in another case twelve persons. The families of two brothers lost all but one child each. Hundreds were rescued from the tops of trees, hay stacks and roofs of houses. Numbers were almost starved, houseless and naked. Subscriptions for their relief were flowing in, and would do much to alleviate the distress. Four schooners were wrecked and several seamen drowned.

The Italian war steamer Magenta left Sidney for Valparaiso.

Tasmania, bearing a shade of good quality, had been discovered in the western part of the Colony of Victoria.

A mill in South Australia was burnt with one thousand tons of flour and ten thousand bushels of wheat.

Shipments of wheat to England were resumed.

The general election going on in Queensland thus far favors the government.

The Victoria crop is large. Over two hundred bales were already shipped.

New Foundland advices to the 9th of July state that a heavy gale caused several wrecks of coasters. No loss of life.

The last British soldier will soon have left Auckland.

Advices from Venezuela to the 29th ult. state that the revolution had failed at all points.

A Buenos Ayres letter of June 28th, says that General Asboth was very ill, and serious apprehensions were entertained of a fatal result.

Minister Washburne, from Paraguay, is to Gen. Asboth for a supply of provisions as food is scarce and the hospitals require a blender diet. A good supply was sent, but the Argentine General stopped and stored them, saying Asboth was unable to take delight diet, but here was enough to stock a wholesale grocery.

## FROM TENNESSEE.

### Brownlow on Franchise—Nashville Municipal Imbroglio—Henry S. Foote at Loggerheads with the Reorder—Encouraging Crop Prospects—Most Unfortunate.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NASHVILLE, August 20.—Gov. Brownlow is out in another letter responsive to the correspondent of the Springfield *Republican*, respecting his opposition to any modification of the Tennessee Franchise law.

Alden and Myers, Radicals, continue in the field for Mayor. The *Press and Times*, a Radical organ, supports neither, but favors the withdrawal of both in favor of another candidate. This gives offense to some of Alden's supporters, who regard him as the party nominee, and they threaten to start a new radical paper; but they have no money and their threats are laughed at. The difference will be adjusted before the election.

Mr. W. Wetmore, formerly a prominent citizen, was arraigned before Recorder Campbell to-day on a charge of lewdness. Henry S. Foote appeared as his counsel, and got into an altercation of words with the Recorder, who fined him several times for contempt, and finally ordered him to be sent to jail for thirty days. The matter was compromised by the fines being remitted, and the order revoked.

The heavy rains to-day were just in time to save the late crops. The next crop of Middle Tennessee will be immense; prices will rule low. The Cotton prospect is very fine. The crop will be larger than last year.

Peter Kearns was arrested here to-day, charged with the murder of a barber named Kirby, at New Albany, Indiana, on the 4th of July.

## FROM NEW YORK.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 20, 1867.

RINDERPEST REPORT.

It is reported the rinderpest has caused the death of some animals in Suffolk County, Long Island, and near Patterson New Jersey.

THE REPORT OF TREASURY FRAUDS.

Secretary McCulloch, in a letter to Treasurer Van Dick, says there have been no over issues of Government securities or overpayment obligations of any kind, and that reports of frauds in the Treasury Department are without foundation.

BASE BALL MATCH.

In a base ball match yesterday the Athletics, of Philadelphia, beat the Unions, of Morrisiana. Score, 23 against 10. To-day the Athletics beat the Atlantics of New York, the score being 18 against 16.

CRICKET MATCH.

The cricket match between the first eleven of the St. George Club, and the first eleven of the Hoboken Club, was finished this afternoon. The latter club proved victorious by fourteen runs.

ITALIAN MINISTER.

Commander Marcelio Cerruti, Minister Plenipotentiary from Italy, arrived in the Scotia.

### The Mediterranean Excursionists Taken for Garibaldians.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 20.—Naples correspondence of date August 1st, says: During the visit of the King of Italy, while the American excursion steamer, Quaker City, lay at Leghorn, a Government gunboat was anchored closely by, with virtually which we kept upon her. Victor Emanuel's people refused to believe that the excursionists were other than Garibaldian conspirators. When any of the pleasure-seekers had occasion to return to the ship after night-fall, they were followed by the police boats, and on arrival on board the vessel of the flagship, Captain Bursley, and several passengers, narrowly escaped arrest. The excursionists will be attentively watched when in Rome.

### New York and Brooklyn Items.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 20.—Sixteen hundred and thirty-nine new buildings have been erected in Brooklyn during the year ending on the first of the present month.

The Commissioners for the building of the new Harlem bridge promise that it shall be completed and thrown open for public use within ninety days.

One thousand eight hundred and eleven emigrants arrived here yesterday.

There were two hundred and ninety deaths in Brooklyn last week.

### Registration.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

COLUMBIA, S. C., August 20.—One hundred and two persons were registered to-day, of which forty-two were whites.

WILMINGTON, N. C., August 20.—The registration in the second ward was continued to-day. The result was eighty-five whites and sixty-eight blacks.

CHARLESTON, S. C., August 20.—Three hundred and sixty one were registered to-day, of which two hundred and twenty-seven were whites.

### Distinction as to Color by Railroads Forbidden.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GALVESTON, August 20.—An order has been issued forbidding distinction by railroads and other chartered companies, which are common carriers, in relation to passengers on account of color, race or previous condition.

A. B. Hall, of Harris county, has been appointed sheriff, vice Proudfoot, who absconded.

### River Items.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, August 20.—River falling, with 9 feet water in the channel to Cairo.

LOUISVILLE, August 20.—River swelling, with 2 feet 10 inches in the canal.

### Railroad Consolidation Prohibited.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALBANY, August 20.—The Constitutional Convention has prohibited the consolidation of railroad corporations, where the aggregate capital exceeds twenty millions.

### A Brilliant Meteor Seen.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 20.—A meteor of great beauty, form and magnitude, was observed in the heavens at about ten o'clock last night.

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—The strike of printers in Detroit has ended in a complete failure. All the offices have supplied themselves with the full number of hands; some have refused to employ any who were members of unions; others have made agreements with the printers by which the latter recede from all that they claimed at the beginning of the difficulty. Some of the former employees are again at work, but a majority have applied for places which have been filled by other printers during their absence.

# SECOND EDITION.

## FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

## FROM EUROPE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

### AUSTRIA.

NAPOLEON IN CONFERENCE.

SALZBURG, August 20.—The Emperor Napoleon held a long conference to-day with Baron Von Beust, Prime Minister of Austria.

The private interviews which have taken place between their Majesties the Emperors of France and Austria, and between Napoleon and Baron Von Beust, have resulted in a good understanding, but no treaty has been made.

PEACE OF GERMANY SECURED.

VIENNA, August 20.—All the official journals declare that the peace of Germany is secured.

### SPAIN.

INSURRECTION NOT YET QUELLED.

LONDON, August 20.—Though it is difficult to obtain any reliable information from Spain, it is known that Gen. Prim is still at the head of the insurrection, which has not been quelled. It is reported Gen. Prim is supplied with funds by prominent bankers in Paris.

### ENGLAND.

LORD MONCK TO REMAIN IN CANADA.

LONDON, August 20.—Lord Monck does not return to England, but will remain one year longer in Canada at the head of the new Government.

### ITALY.

UNITED STATES MISSION AT ROME.

ROME, August 20.—The mission of the United States at the Holy See having been discontinued, the American Legation in this city is closed.

### TURKEY.

VISIT TO THE CZAR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, August 20.—Fuad Pasha, the Minister who accompanied the Sultan throughout his western tour, has gone to Crimea to meet the Emperor Alexander, of Russia.

### Troops for Canada—Aid for Families of Imprisoned Irish Patriots—Theories in Italy—Troops for Rome—Religious Matters in Austria.

[*By Steamer.*]

NEW YORK, August 20.—The steamships Scotia and Fulton, from Europe, arrived to-day. The former brings dates to the 11th.

The Sixty-ninth regiment received orders to embark from Dublin for Canada on the 20th of August. Two other regiments in England have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness.

A letter is published in the Dublin *Nation* from Mr. R. Roberts, enclosing £75 15s 2d for the relief of the families of imprisoned Irish patriots, which, with amounts previously sent, makes 5065 francs 80 centimes, contributed by the Fenian Brotherhood of America. The letter is dated Paris, 2d.

The Roman Minister is about to leave Florence for Paris.

It appears that between January and July of the present year, there were 60,000 attacks of cholera in Italy, followed by 32,000 deaths. The deaths at Palermo, at the latest dates, were averaging 500 daily. The ex-Queen of Naples died of cholera.

It is rumored in Paris that 40,000 men will be ordered to Rome, but it is probably unfounded.

The Russian Government has ordered the construction, at Kerch, of an important fortress, the earthworks of which alone will cost 1,728,000 francs.

*Rome*, August 8.—During the night of the 4th inst., two hundred peasants left Viterbo, singly, and proceeded to a place called Canpetto, with the object of taking possession of certain land belonging to other persons, and cultivating it for their own benefit. The government took energetic measures, by which the assembly was dispersed and the leaders arrested.

*Madrid*, August 9.—Baring Brothers, of London, and Hope, of Amsterdam, have contracted for the conversion of the passive debt.

*Lisbon*, August 8.—The United States gunboat Savannah has sailed for Candia by order of the American Government. The steamer Shamrock has sailed for Candia with a large cargo of arms. The Candiotes are short throughout Portugal.

*Vienna*, August 9.—An ordinance of the Minister of Public Worship is published, organizing the Superior Protestant Church Council on a new basis. The Emperor increases the annual endowment of the Protestant Church to fifty thousand florins. The commandants of the Austrian fleet, now stationed in Candian waters, was instructed to afford certain fugitives an asylum on board his vessel if asked for, and convey to a place of safety any Cretan seeking his protection.

### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, August 20—*Evening*.—Consols stronger at 94⅛-⅜. Five-twenties 73⅝. Illinois Central 77⅝. Erie 45¾. A. and G. W. 21¾.

FRANKFORT, August 20—*Evening*.—United States bonds 77.

LIVERPOOL, August 20—*Evening*.—Cotton heavy and declined 1-16@⅛d; middling uplands 12½d; Orleans 11 1-16d; sales of 8,000 bales. Manchester market for goods and yarns dull with declining tendency. Breadstuffs—Flour and Grain closed weak, but prices were nominally unchanged. Corn 30s. Barley 3s. Oats 2s 11d. Peas 34s. Wheat 11s 9d for new southern. Provisions—Lard firm at 51s. Beef 138s. Pork 82s. Bacon 52s for short cut. Tallow and Bacon unchanged. Produce—Petroleum, 83d for spirits and is 4d for refined.

LONDON, August 20—*Evening*.—Sugar nominal at 25s 6d. Iron steady. Other quotations unaltered.

## NATIONAL LABOR CONGRESS.

### Second Day's Session—Appointment of Various Committees.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, August 20.—The National Labor Congress met at nine o'clock this morning. A number of delegates, arrived since yesterday, were admitted.

Committees were appointed on national organ, eight hour movement and co-operation. The Committee on Constitution reported a draft, which was discussed during the morning and afternoon sessions and referred back to the Committee.

On motion, committees were directed to be appointed (consisting of one delegate from each State represented) on National labor organization, on convict labor, on qualifications of voters, on the subject of taxation of United States bonds, on monopoly and currency, and on the matter of sending delegates to Europe to effect an understanding between the laborers of Europe and America.

### Base Ball Tournament.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

DETROIT, August 20.—The Tournament closed to-day with a friendly match between the Detroits and Pioneers, which was a former won with a magnificent display of skill. Their fielding was particularly fine, and at the close of the game they were cheered with loud and prolonged cheers from the immense crowd present. The score stood: Detroit 18, Allegheny 31. Prizes, to the value of several hundred dollars, were awarded to the following: Best Captain, Shafer, of Ypsilanti; best catcher, Lynch, of Allegheny; best pitcher, Pratt, of Allegheny; best batter, Rathbone, of Alerts, Detroit; best runners, Tobas and Burlingame, of Battle Creek; best thrower, Boter, of Ionia; most home runs, Marker, of Wayne.

### Boat Capsized—Seven Persons Drowned.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 20.—Yesterday morning a party of eleven persons started in a boat for an Island in Bow Lake, in Stratford, N. H. The boat was capsized and the following drowned: Mrs. Jeremiah Davis and daughter, two daughters of Mr. John Day, a daughter of Mr. Alfred Pendar, and a daughter of Mr. Thos. Gray. The bodies were recovered.

### Physician Dead—A Mail Robber.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BOSTON, August 20.—Dr. J. Mason Warren, a well known surgeon and physician, died yesterday.

A man giving his name as Wm. Allen, was arrested on the steamer New England, from St. Johns, this afternoon, for cutting open a mail bag and attempting to steal the contents.

### Prosecution for Perjury Threatened.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

AUGUSTA, August 20.—It is positively stated that H. L. Fitch, United States District Attorney, will, at the next term of the United States Court for Georgia, prosecute for perjury eight Southern loyalists, who it is alleged have taken the test oath contrary to the law and the facts.

### Weather and Crops.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

COLUMBIA, S. C., August 20.—The weather is clear and warm. Crop accounts from the interior are favorable.

WILMINGTON, August 20.—The weather is clear and warm. Two plantations were overflowed, greatly damaging the crops.

### Yellow Fever and Cholera.

NEW ORLEANS, August 20.—Twelve deaths from yellow fever

# The Pittsburgh Gazette

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1867.


The long looked for document removing General Sheridan from command of the Fifth Military District, has at length been issued by the President, and handed to Gen. Grant for transmission. The latter stoutly protested against the removal and urged on the President the policy of letting Sheridan alone, but entreaty had no effect and to-day the order will be transmitted.

SHERIDAN, according to the order for his removal, will have thirty days leave of absence. He should travel north, and receive the ovations the loyal masses are prepared to award him. No man in the country at this hour is more popular, and certainly none are more worthy of confidence. His removal will cause new friends to cluster around him, while it will still further degrade the President in the estimation of all good citizens. Should Sheridan conclude to visit the North he will be received in a manner that will convince him that his course was the right one, and that the popular heart is with him in sentiment.

WE INVITE ATTENTION to the communication of "Pitt," advocating the abolishment of the delegate system now in vogue in this county. The citizens are evidently dissatisfied with the manner in which nominations are made by the Republican party in this section, and are determined on reform. The delegate system has been abandoned elsewhere and the Crawford county plan of making nominations substituted, and it has been found decidedly preferable. However, by the old system the forthcoming nominations for the Senate and House of Representatives must be made, and we again urge on our Republican friends the necessity of using their best exertions towards securing delegates to represent them faithfully in the Convention.

### THE NICOLSON PAVEMENT.

The Nicolson pavement promises to be the one most universally adopted hereafter in paving the streets of American cities. It has been subjected to the test of years, and has demonstrated its own superiority over any style of pavement ever introduced or invented in the country. Many good qualities recommend it for universal adoption, while it is open to fewer objections than any other. Wherever it has been tested it has given the highest satisfaction, and in every case has been awarded the palm of superiority. We trust one day to have no other than the Nicolson pavement on our principal streets. Indeed, from the attention which the subject is now receiving from our merchants and property holders, the general adoption of the favorite pavement may not be so indefinitely postponed as many may imagine. While we cannot have clean houses, and can never aspire, as a city, to the title of beautiful, we might at least desire some pleasure in smooth streets and good roads. The cobble stone pavement was very good in its time, or when none better was offered, but it is now a relic of fogyism, and we hope no more of it will be laid.

Perhaps in Pittsburgh the Nicolson pavement would be more fully appreciated than elsewhere. Our streets are never in order; are broken, uneven, and full of ruts. This all happens from the character of the vehicles constantly rolling over them; heavy iron wagons, huge timber wheels, and cumbrous ore carts. The cobble stones will not stand the weight, and soon are forced from their places, leaving holes and ruts. Then, too, the noise from the wagons, carts and cabs driven over our streets is terrible to weak-nerved folks, and a grave affliction to occupants of sick chambers. The sanitary condition of the city can never be perfect so long as the filth filters between the crevasses of the cobble stones, and cannot be drawn out by sweeping or scraping. Considered in various ways, the Nicolson pavement is highly desirable here, and all our citizens will welcome its general adoption.

### THE HIGH PRICE OF FLOUR.

One of our most worthy flour merchants favors us with the following communication bearing on the causes for the extraordinary prices commanded by the great staple of life. The views he takes are fair and reasonable and will fully repay perusal:

MESSRS. EDITORS: From the tenor of many leading articles that have appeared in all of the papers of our city recently, great injustice is done a large and respectable class of dealers. The idea is conveyed to the public, that the high price of flour, grain, &c., is caused by speculators. A very erroneous notion. The greater number of operators in any particular product or article of food, the greater chance there is for reasonable prices. If one or two firms supplied this city and its surroundings with all of the flour and grain that is consumed, there might be some truth in the oft repeated accusation. Flour and grain is sold in this market, owing to the great competition and large number of dealers, at a less margin than in any other city in the States.

The producers are the men who are benefitted by the high prices. There are scores of farmers who are abundantly able to hold their products for years, and who would sooner let their grain rot than sell at a reasonable price. Were it not for the enterprise of our merchants in bringing the necessaries of life from remote sections of the country, often at the risk of pecuniary loss, people in this city would suffer at the hands of the producers. The producers, however, are not the most culpable in the maintainance of starvation prices. The press of the country is much to blame for the continuance of high prices. The farmers are often made to hold on to their products with great tenacity on account of the dismal and disastrous reports of the almost total destruction of the crops in nearly all of the European States. These reports are published daily and scattered broadcast throughout the country, and the farmers advised not to be in a hurry about selling, as their products will be needed at fabulous prices to supply the people of these States with food. High prices are often brought about and maintained for a time by such reports, which are very often made exaggerated. No one has no hesitancy in attributing the present high price of Flour and grain, and the indisposition, to realize on the part of farmers, to these reports.

A FLOUR DEALER.

### THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—You invite the attention of the people to the primary meetings about to take place as a matter that concerns them deeply. Deploring as you do the character of the selections generally made of Legislative candidates on such occasions, you admit at the same time that, while there is much to be said in opposition to the delegate system which prevails here, it is still not without its merits, *provided the citizens will exercise their duty of selecting the proper men to represent them in the Convention.*

With this important proviso of course there is not much room for disputing your proposition on the hypothesis that the grossest inequality of representation may be considered as involving no mischief in itself, which I suppose no Republican could very consistently assert.

To make any Convention, however, a fair one, or to expect from it any legitimate expression of the will of the people, although every voter in the county should turn out at the primary elections without such equality, as will insure to the opinions of all the same weight in the Convention, is to look for results that are in the nature of things impossible. Unless, therefore, you can secure this equality you must be content to receive and endorse just such tickets as a very small minority of the people—who are the more likely, from the very smallness of their numbers, to be under the lead of a few managers—may think proper to impose on you.

But what is the condition of things in the present case, in which you think to find some merit to compensate for its defects, if the people will only do their duty in selecting the delegates?

Surely, no human ingenuity could have devised a plan more grossly unequal and unjust, more discouraging to a respectable candidate, and more thoroughly calculated to disgust the voter, and keep him at home, than the one now in vogue in this county, by which all the election districts are levelled down to an entire equality in power, and the one thousand or twelve hundred electors of a single ward in Pittsburgh or Allegheny are allowed to have no more voice than the forty voters of Neville township! Why should any one man of the one thousand or twelve hundred of the former turn out to vote, when he knows that he is but a fractional man, and his neighbor over on the island has *thirty* times his power in the Convention? If you want him to go to the polls you must show him that his weight will be felt there. Leave it to the people to decide and they will turn out as they do at the general election. Leave it as it is, and all your exhortations will be vain, because, as they will tell you, it makes no difference in the result whether they go or not, and that with primary meetings, assembling and adjourning in a hurry, under the direction of a few industrious managers, all over the county, who have been previously *spoken to* in town, it is not worth while for them to trouble themselves about the matter. You have tried this system long enough. You have preached to the people about the inefficiency of their representatives. They see it and know it as well as you do. They see whole tickets selected for them of which perhaps not a single man would have been chosen by themselves. They go away dissatisfied and threaten sometimes to rebel, as they would have long since done if the critical condition of the country had allowed the party to divide. And yet it all comes to nothing, just because the evil is irremediable under the present system of which it is an inherent and inseparable part. You cannot extract any good out of it by any alchemy. You might as well expect to gather grapes from thorns or figs from thistles, as to hope that you can rectify such an evil without re-constructing the whole machine on principles that shall be truly Republican. Whether it can be saved in this way I do not know, as its infirmities are such as to make it unacceptable in any shape in the midst of a crowded city where there is always so much room for intrigue and corruption and management by cliques and cabals and little juntas of politicians who contrive to get the wires into their own hands. One thing is certain. It will not be repaired by the men who find their account in it. None of their conventions will ever be allowed by them to surrender so valuable a prerogative. The people must attend to it themselves, and nothing is more certain in the future than that if the proper remedy is not applied in such a way as to insure a ticket that will satisfy them, they will smash the machine some of these days over the heads of the managers, by teaching them that a nomination is one thing and an election another, and that they will not be forced to support men for office who are imposed on them against their will.

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### Vegetable Venders Arrested.

The order of the Board of Health prohibiting the sale of certain vegetables is being rapidly enforced, and quite a number of hucksters and others have been arrested for offering for sale the prohibited articles "on the sly." Many of these parties were ignorant of the order, which should have been promulgated by posting handbills in the market places. The Board itself has no little difficulty in agreeing upon the articles to be ruled out—one of the members being excessively fond of cabbages, another of roasting ears, another of everything green, especially greenbacks. The doctors also differed (as usual) on the vegetable question, some contending that all vegetables should be eaten at this season, while others were in favor of a strictly meat and bread diet. The citizens, of course, were divided in opinion. The Germans could not see the necessity of proscribing cabbages, which they had eaten all their lives, and never knew sickness to result from its use. Creoles and native Missourians, who had feasted upon green corn from infancy, were indignant at finding that succulent article banished from the markets, while green peas, egg plant, &c., were allowed to be sold without limit. The citizens clamored for their favorite vegetables, and the hucksters, tempted by the prospect of large profits, obtained the desired articles and sold them slyly at large profits. The police got wind of what was going on, and, urged by the officers, seized and confiscated the prohibited vegetables, and arrested the venders. This has been going on ever since the order was issued. On Saturday eleven marketers were arrested for violating the orders of the Board of Health.—*St. Louis Democrat.*

—All the London papers are discussing the subject of wine-bibbing among English ladies, which has recently been brought to public attention by the *Lancet*. We doubt, however, whether they will be able to do anything to diminish the habit. Whenever the newspapers or the male sex undertake to reform or change any habit or fancy of women, the effort not only results in failure, but in a great increase of the thing attacked. Take the matter of crinoline or hoop skirts, which, when they first came into vogue, were assailed by all the journals with a fury and force that could not be surpassed, and the consequence was that the fashion of wearing them spread like wildfire. Take the matter of chignons, which were assailed and satirized in all the journals when they first appeared, the result of which soon came to be that a woman would as soon be without a head as without a chignon. Not all the talk of gregarines and pediculæ had the least effect. And so we might mention other feminine fancies which men and newspapers have set about reforming. But who ever knew any such effort to succeed?

FAMINE IN ALGERIA.—Lamentable accounts are received from Algeria. The whole African colony is said to be menaced with famine. Several years of bad crops and two invasions of locust have brought the settlers and the natives to the brink of ruin. There is a deficiency of corn in French Africa, and in some places there does not remain any grain in stock. The natives are gradually bringing their flocks—their only fortune—to the towns on the coast, to exchange them for some sacks of wheat or barley, for not only are the inhabitants without food, but there is also a want of fodder for the cattle, and the leanness of the sheep offered for sale by the Bedouins in the markets of Philippeville, Bona and Oran, shows sufficiently the difficulty of providing for their subsistence.


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## GENERAL NEWS.

—The pleasant villages near Boston are called sub-Hubs.

—Gen. Grant is trying to reduce himself to fifteen cigars a day.

—There are more persons of pure Irish blood in America than in Ireland.

—Tea is a third cheaper in China this year, but our grocers will never find it out.

—One bar, at Saratoga, does a business worth forty-two thousand dollars a season.

—A Chicago colored theatrical company has commenced its travels in the West.

—One man in Indiana boasts that he gets a new wife and a new divorce every quarter.

—Edmond About writes for seven weeklies and two reviews, and has two romances under way.

—An exchange says: "Connecticut is greatly afflicted. It has a Democratic Governor and the potato rot."

"We see," said Swift, in one of his most sarcastic moods, "how little God thinks of riches by the people he gives them to."

—It is stated that President Johnson has lost twenty-one pounds of flesh since he became President. This is not quite two pounds a veto.

—The washerwomen of Montana have resolved that no Chinamen shall encroach on their business. They enforce the resolution with clubs and nail.

—A stitch to protect the property of late Tom Sayres is pending in the English Chancery Court. The amount involved is about $15,000 in railroad stock.

—J. W. Simonton, New York agent of the Associated Press, has returned from Europe, where he went to perfect arrangements for fuller, and we hope better, cable dispatches.

—Punch reports a speech of an Irish M. P., who thought Ireland was overtaxed. "Take a tenth of our income sir? Ay, that they do; and they'd take a twentieth, if they dared."

—The vestry of St. Ann's Episcopal Church, in Brooklyn, New York, have determined to erect a new church edifice, to cost $350,000. The Rev. Dr. Schenck, late of Baltimore, is the pastor.

—It is reported that among the many whites and half breeds engaged with the Indians in their atrocities on the Plains, is one Bent, a graduate of West Point; who has made himself conspicuous by his acts of brutality.

—William Devoe, a noted burglar, has been sentenced in Philadelphia, to ten years' imprisonment. He is sixty-four years old, and has been a criminal for over thirty years. He has served out seven terms of imprisonment.

—The Swedish settlement at Berlin, Mercer county, Illinois, has just been reinforced by four hundred persons direct from Sweden. These people prove themselves to be industrious, thrifty, and in every respect desirable citizens.

—A German professor near Northampton, Mass., who had seen the Cochin China breed of fowls recommended, recently purchased a dozen porcelain china eggs, and kept a faithful old hen setting on them for four weeks before either discovered the real state of the case.

—In the fall we are promised a complete translation of the Bible by Joseph Smith, the Mormon martyr. The manuscript has been for many years in the hands of his son and successor, and the plates are already being stereotyped. The words "baptize," it is said, will be retained, with the understanding that it means immerse.

—Colonel Long's infant daughter was riding in its baby carriage along the brink of a precipice eighty feet high, at Cincinnati Furnace, Ohio, on Thursday, when the nurse left it for a moment. A gust of wind came along and forced the vehicle, with its baby occupant, over the fearful height, when, strange to say, it was found unhurt and uninjured.

—They have some jaw-breaking names in the lumber regions of Maine and New Brunswick. A writer from the latter province says: "From this point one can stage it up the Nashwaak, Nackawic, and Mackinjack, sail down the Richibucto, Restigeuche, or Petticodiac, or by returning to St. Johns, take cars for Quispamis, Nauwigawauk, and Shediac."

—An old woman died lately at St. Helfers, France, who was supposed to be in very destitute condition. Upon her boxes being overhauled after her death, there were discovered: fifty-six silk and stuff dresses, thirty shawls, one hundred and eight night dresses, one hundred and twenty-seven chemises, twenty-nine flannel petticoats, forty-eight towels, one hundred and eight pocket handkerchiefs, eighty-four pairs of stockings, a quantity of print dresses not made up, forty-two ties and neckerchiefs, sixty nightcaps, twenty-four shirts, twenty-four aprons, and twenty-three dress jackets. Many of the articles were quite new.

—Chinamen are coming into California this year faster than ever, nearly 3,000 arriving between the 15th of May and 15th of June.


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Of five octaves, fine, rich, full tone, in elegant varnished and polished rosewood furniture. Will be sold very cheap. Apply to

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Partnership heretofore existing between ROBERT LOVE and WM. KIRK, under the name and style of LOVE & KIRK, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All bills will be paid and collected by Mr. KIRK, who will continue the business as usual, at the old stand, No. 97 Ohio street, Allegheny.

ROBERT LOVE,
WM. KIRK.

Allegheny, August 19th, 1867. au21:n3

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Distilling and Refining Apparatus, Tankage for Crude and Refined Oil, are in prime order. Buildings for manufacturing and storing, all or free, first class and fire-proof. As to capacity and size these works are among the largest and best in the country.

The popularity, which our brand "BELMONT" has already attained in the trade, combined with the fact of its having been awarded the first PRIZE MEDAL at the late Fair, offer unequaled prospects to our successors, while the price asked for our works will be very moderate, since the present owners are desirous to retire from business.

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Within its enclosure, at Pittsburgh, until TUESDAY, the 3d day of September, 1867, at the office, No. 10 St. Clair street.

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FOR ASSEMBLY.

THOMAS PENNEY,

Of McKeesport, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to nomination by the Republican County Convention.

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Convert 7-30's, free of charge, upon Government terms. They have constantly on hand all kinds of

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And are prepared to buy and sell Railroad Bonds or Stocks; Bank, Gas and Bridge Stocks; Mortgages on Real Estate, Land Warrants, &c.

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Apply to E. McLAIN & CO., 122 Fourth st.

FRESH SALMON, in 1 and 2 lb. cans; fresh Lobster, in 1 and 2 lb. cans; fresh Asparagus, in 2 lb. cans; Green Corn, Lima Beans, Condensed Milk, Strawberries, Whortleberries, Blackberries, Sardines, Olive Oil, Worcestershire Sauce, Essence Shrimps, Anchovies, &c., for sale at lowest rates, at

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Oolong,
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ALL OF THE BEST QUALITY.

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NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully inform their friends and the public in general that, preparatory to removing back into their new building, No. 42 Fifth street, next to corner of Wood, they are now selling their immense stock of

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Consisting of Watches, Silver Ware, Bronzes, Fine Table Cutlery, Plated Ware, Suits of Precious Stones, Regulators, French Clocks, etc., etc., together with all kinds of Jewelry, consisting of a large amount of silver mounted plate glass show cases, fancy shelving, counters, etc.

About the 1st of October we expect to re-open our new store with an entire new and fresh stock of everything pertaining to a first-class Jewelry House. Very respectfully,

REINEMAN, MEYRAN & BEIDLE,

No. 89 FIFTH STREET,

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IRON CITY CUTLERY CO.,

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Having purchased of ANDREW BEGGS the entire stock of Hardware, Cutlery and Variety Goods, at the above stand, it is their intention to keep on hand a first-class stock of

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Guns, Rifles, Revolvers, Pistols, Fishing Tackle and sporting goods of every variety. They are also prepared to do all kinds of JOB WORK: Grinding Razors, Scissors, &c., Cutting Steel and Iron Stamps, Rubber Seal and Cancelling Stamps, at shortest notice.

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A SPLENDID STOCK OF

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At the lowest prices. The public are invited to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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Statement of Accounts from January 1, 1866, to December 1, 1866.

Cash in hands of Superintendent, January 1, 1866 ..... $ 196 99
Amount of warrants drawn on County Treasurer ..... 25,872 88
Cash received by superintendent, as follows, to wit: For hogs and pigs, $111 00; for hides, $72 18; for lard, $21 85; for seeds and plants, $5 50; for one pair oxen & yoke, $211 [illegible]; for peas, $44 38; for butter, $7 60; for lard, $16 40; for rags, $5 35; old wagon, $30 00; old harness, $6 50; for old iron and pipe, $2 65; bail, $2 00; for correction of errors in two bills, $1 90; from deceased inmate, $7 51; from deceased inmate, $6 00; from deceased inmate, per hand of inmates per hand of R. Steiner, $19 48; from deceased inmate, per hand of John Nicholls, $3 00; for merchandize, per Miss Barry, $3 81; for merchandize, per Capt. John Young, $6 00; potty, breeches and from August Ammon, Esq., for fee in case of Sues, (conviction of Sabbath liquor law) [illegible] each, $6 25 00, making a total of ..... 857 49
Cash received by E. H. Davis, collected of John F. Drake, through James H. Berry, Esq., ..... 80 03
Cash collected by E. H. Davis as follows, to wit: From other districts, $15 63; Wm. Wade's heirs, $250 00; Grover Clawson, $500; House of Refuge, $91 00 ..... 854 63
From friends, relatives and others to the Overseers of the Poor, and to the Steward and at the Hospitals, &c., to wit: L. H. per Mrs. L. Scott, $2 00; per Jno. A. Waldor, Esq., $25 38; E. B. per L. A., $42 38; per H. per Johnst. Ammon, Esq., attorney, $30 67; per H. per order J. McKinlay, dower and rent, $30 02; from Wm. Cowan, Esq., $5 00; per J. & W. H., dec'd, at $57 76 A. S., per Thos. Varner, Esq., $40 50; S. J., per John H. Harris, Sheriff, $71 38; E. B. per Sister, $1 00; M. C. Estate, per John C. Love, Esq., $10 00

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Of the best quality and most popular styles. We invite special attention of our new lot of

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UNITED STATES COURT.

The Blair County Counterfeiting Case—Fifth Day—Rebutting Evidence—Hutchinson, Witness for the Defense, Contradicted—Testimony Closed—Arguments of Counsel.

The case of the United States vs. William Johnston, indicted for selling counterfeit money, was resumed on Tuesday, the Court re-assembling at ten o'clock. The Government proceeded with its rebutting evidence, but before calling witnesses, the defense were allowed to call

*Gen. John Ross*, of McVaytown, Mifflin county, who testified that he had good opportunity for knowing the character of the defendant; it was good; never heard it questioned; there was no man in the county in whom he had more confidence; attended him five thousand dollars to fill a government contract for furnishing horses in 1864. Witness was superintendent of the Portage Railroad, having his office at Hollidaysburg, where he made the acquaintance of Johnston.

*Mr. Carnahan* was called on behalf of the Government

*George. B. Hamilton*, of Philadelphia. He testified that he came to the city on business for the firm with which he was employed, and happened to meet with Captain Franklin, at the Railroad Depot; was not subpœnaed in the case. He had known Franklin well for six years, since his connection with the Philadelphia Alms House, as Superintendent of Manufactories; his reputation for truth and honesty was unexceptionable.

*Francis Prettyman*, sworn.—Reside on 920 Wharton street, Philadelphia; arrived here yesterday afternoon; was telegraphed for by Captain Franklin. I am Assistant Assessor of Internal Revenue, 1st District, Philadelphia. Have known Capt. Franklin for eighteen years; know his character for truth and honesty; it is good; never heard it assailed. Am acquainted with Jeremiah F. Hutchinson, who held an office under Capt. Franklin, as "secret service operator." Was present when Hutchinson spoke to Franklin of this (Johnston) case now on trial. In May last, in the latter part of the month, heard Hutchinson talk of making money out of the case. He appointed two o'clock, and said Franklin had a great case out at Altoona that he could make a great deal of money out of; said Franklin (Hutchinson) was allowed to have his way he could make four or five thousand dollars out of the case; the first time he alluded to the case he did not use Johnston's name, but spoke of the case at Altoona; the next time he referred to Johnston's case, said the case was in connection with him; he spoke of the matter as many as six times. I continually heard what Hutchinson had said to me. I was never spoken to come here until I received a telegram on Saturday evening last, and came here as soon as I could.

Cross-examined.—Was discharged from the revenue service—taken from one department and placed in another. Knew persons who associated with Franklin; heard a number of persons say that his character was very good, on the occasion when he was promoted at the Alms House—they were glad to hear of it; thought he was a deserving man; this was some one or eight years ago. Hutchinson said in the conversation I referred to that Franklin was a fool not to let him have a chance; Franklin, Hutchinson and myself were walking together. Remember of seeing Franklin and Hutchinson at the Gibbons House about the last of April or first of May. The object of Franklin in going to the Gibbons House was to see about a man who had gone away; this man was Butts.

Re-direct.—Knew the witness Hoey when he was a boy; lost sight of him since; have heard that his reputation was bad. Before going to the Alms House Captain Franklin worked at moulding; he quit that business in 1852, I think, and went west, going to the Alms House when he returned.

*Samuel Henderson*, sworn.—Live at 2211 Lombard street, Philadelphia; am a merchant tailor; am one of the city detective officers; have known Capt. Franklin five or six years; he was a captain in the army, and upon his return he went into the secret service of the Government; have seen him every few days, never heard his character for truth or honesty brought in question. Know of an organization called the Schuylkill Rangers; did not know their Captain; never had one that I knew of, every one seeming to act for himself; they were mostly composed of men who have found their way to the Penitentiary.

*Chas. S. Smith*, sworn—Reside in Philadelphia; came here on telegraphic notice; am a detective officer; have known Capt. Franklin five or six years; have been intimately acquainted with him; I have resided in Philadelphia three years; Capt. Franklin's reputation for truth in Philadelphia is good; never heard it questioned; got acquainted with the witness, Hutchinson, about three years ago; he came to me and said he had some business he wanted to put in the hands of a government detective; I introduced him to Capt. Franklin; the "business" he spoke of was the passing of counterfeit money; never had any business with Hutchinson myself.

The government here closed their rebutting testimony.

The defense were allowed to call (as surrebutting) ex-Sheriff Funk, of Blair county, as to the character of the witness Hutchinson, who had been attacked. It appeared, however, that Mr. Funk had lost sight of Hutchinson for nine years past.

The argument to the jury, on behalf of the Government, was opened by W. D. Moore, Esq., Assistant District Attorney. He began by alluding to the peculiar character of men engaged in the counterfeiting business. A "dealer," such as the defendant was claimed to be, was generally of high social standing in the community where he lived, regarded as clever, and possessing a great deal of influence; in fact just such a man as the defendant had been shown to be, in the efforts which had been made to establish his character for honesty. These men, selected by those higher up in the counterfeiting "fraternity" by reason of the success which must attend the "business" through their peculiar qualifications,—their associations with secret orders, even with churches—embark in the trade with comparatively little risk. They know those with whom they "deal." These are not their neighbors, (those held in reserve to sustain their character when the pinch does come,) but such as they are well aware belong to the "craft," and who will not likely come in judgment against them. Instances were by no means rare of men, standing high in the community, being suddenly exposed as the rankest of criminals, even in the midst of those who have known them for a lifetime as honest, fair dealing men. This was a peculiarity of the crime of counterfeiting. The gentleman pursued this line of argument in repelling the presumption of innocence which might obtain from the character which had been set up for the defendant. As to the attack which had been made upon Captain Franklin's credibility, Mr. Moore contended that he had come out of the investigation as he started, although some inconsistencies might be pointed out in immaterial portions of his testimony. It seemed that no circumstance in his private life was to be left untouched in pursuing the assault which had been made upon him. As to witnesses arrayed for the onslaught were of those who had been in his employ as subordinate "detectives," employed mainly for their lying qualifications and acquaintance with criminals. Butts was the main witness and what was the examination he made? First he got into the army as eighteen years of age, when he was not eighteen. He said he enlisted on the 27th of April, 1861, at Yorktown, when every one knew that Yorktown was in rebel possession until the 3d of the following day. Having time for reflection, during the intermission of the Court, he remembers that he enlisted on the 23d of April, *in the trenches* in front of Yorktown. He returns from the army and "beats the Governor" out of a letter of recommendation for employment in the "secret service." Further on in his career he becomes a witness in the case of Stewart and Cooper, in Philadelphia, indicted for selling counterfeit money. Butts said he bought counterfeit money from them, some hundreds of dollars, yet upon the trial the defendants are acquitted, proving an *alibi*. Butts could not have been believed, or did not swear the *whole truth*, else the jury would have convicted. Captain Franklin was annoyed because Butts did not testify in accordance with representations made by him prior to the arrest, and may have accused him of conniving at the escape of Stewart and Cooper. And now Butts comes upon the witness stand, swears that Captain Franklin is unworthy of belief, that he would not believe him upon oath, and said he had heard Hutchison, Hoey, Alishouse, "Konlackers" generally, express themselves likewise. It was a commercial scheme, for consideration, to damnify Franklin, out of a spirit of revenge, stimulated by the hope of gain for themselves. Hutchison was particularly interested in the case, had summoned witnesses for the defense. Franklin had rejected his proposition to make money out of Johnston, and hence, with the same object in view, he assists in the attempt to break down Franklin in his prosecution of Johnston. Hutchison, too, was concerned in the Cooper and Stewart case, and had, like Butts, sworn to suit the defendants, in contradiction of his first representations. He and Butts had been "bought off" in that case, and this being their character, their motives in appearing as witnesses for the defense in the present case might be judged of in the same connection. Mr. Moore did not as closely analyze the evidence as he might have done had he been closing the case to the jury, his speech being of a general character. He ceased speaking at one o'clock.

Thomas Howard, Esq., for the defense, followed. He characterized the arguments of Mr. Moore, in reference to discarding evidence of reputation, the most extraordinary he had ever heard in a court of justice. Things must, indeed, come to a crisis, he thought, when the good character of men would be spoken of as a reproach. He elaborately reviewed the evidence offered for the defense, and argued from it that the unsupported, uncorroborated story of Butts that Franklin was a fit out of the whole cloth; that Franklin was a scoundrel and a villain of the deepest dye; that the witnesses for the defense were worthy of belief; and that taking the evidence as to the character which the defendant had sustained during a long life time in connection with all that had been offered, the jury must acquit. He argued that Franklin had been contradicted in the statement that he was at Altoona on the 16th of April, the day on which, he further recalled, he, in company with McAteer, purchased the counterfeit money from Johnston, and laid great stress on this circumstance and that McAteer had been produced to corroborate Franklin. Villain, as the counsel believed Franklin was, McAteer was even worse, and had been the tool of Franklin in pursuing his infamous course as a detective. Mr. Howard was, by no means, choice in the language he used, and although we have heard him make many speeches, in and out of court, in the way of hard words, in denouncing the character of witnesses, we have not exceeded all his former efforts. He concluded his speech about three o'clock, having spoken nearly two hours.

The Court adjourned until ten o'clock today.

S. A. Purviance, Esq., will next address the jury, for the defense, and District Attorney Carnahan will close the argument to the jury.

Lawrenceville Council.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Lawrenceville Council was held Monday evening.

In the absence of the clerk, Mr. Devlin officiated.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A petition from the property holders was presented, praying Councils to take measures to have the borough supplied with water.

A motion was made to refer to the Water Committee. Mr. Sill, in a few remarks, urged immediate action in the matter. He moved that the Burgess be added to the Water Committee, and that the Committee report on the matter at the next meeting. The petition was not referred.

Mr. Sill made a few remarks on the financial condition of the borough. He thought the Finance Committee had not properly attended to their business. He moved that an additional member be added to that Committee.

Mr. Scott said that it was not worth while to add to the Committee, as the services of the Committee would not be needed long.

Mr. Weisenberger defended the Finance Committee. He, himself, had done all that was possible, and if others were added to the Committee more might be done.

Mr. Sill believed that Mr. Weisenberger had done his duty so far as possible, but he was certain that the others had not.

Mr. Scott called the gentleman to order.

The question on the motion to increase the Committee was called, and the ayes and nays with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Berger, Sill, Hart and Weisenberger. Nays—Messrs. Scott and Meanor. Mr. Watson declined to vote.

The report of the Street Committee was read. The Committee reported progress in grading and paving of streets. They have ordered the filling up of Center street, to allow a sufficient grade to carry off the water.

Mr. Meanor moved that the report be laid on the table. Lost.

The report was then accepted.

The Committee on Scales reported progress.

Mr. Sill moved that the Committee be instructed to procure a return from Mr. Young, the former weigher. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sill, the Finance Committee was instructed to raise money sufficient for the use of the Borough on new bonds.

During considerable discussion on the subject it appeared that the Borough authorities have power to borrow money to the amount of the difference between the present indebtedness of the borough (some $13,000), and $30,000.

Mr. Scott said the Street Committee were continually for grading and paving streets and alleys. Some of the Council, he said, were of the opinion that they must get all the work done before they got into the city.

Mr. Sill moved that Bellefontaine street be opened from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to the river.

After some discussion the motion was withdrawn with the understanding that the special committee on the subject report at the next meeting.

The special committee appointed to examine as to the opening of new streets, reported in favor of the opening of one street forty feet feet wide from Dennis alley to the Allegheny river.

It was moved that the report be laid on the table. On this Thomas Howard, Esq., property holder, was allowed to address the Council. He urged the adoption of the report as satisfactory to the property holders and as the best that could be made for the interests of all.

Mr. Weisenberger spoke in favor of laying on the table, and the question being called it was so decided.

Mr. Watson moved that the Borough Regulator be instructed to ascertain the practicability of locating a street from Denny's alley to intersect Lawrence street, as now laid down in the plan of the borough. Adopted.

A petition was read from citizens and property holders on Foster alley, praying for the rescinding of the ordinance providing for the opening of that alley. Referred to the Street Committee.

The matter of grading the thoroughfare through Mr. Howard's property to agree with Hazlet street was referred to the Street Committee with power to act.

Mr. Sill moved that the grading of Charlotte street from Allen to Wainright street be placed under contract. Adopted.

Adjourned.

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**FINANCE AND TRADE.**


OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, August 20, 1867.

The New York stock quotations to-day, as received by Mr. P. R. Mertz, were as follows: Gold, 140¾; Eighty-one bonds, 111¾; Five Twenties, 1862, 113¾; Five Twenties, 1864 109¾; Five Twenties, 1865, 109¾; Ten-Forties, 108½; Seven-Thirties, 107¾@107⅝; Ten Forties, 103¾. Stocks—Erie Railroad, 70¾; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 92½; Chicago and Rock Island, 103¾; Chicago and Northwestern, 66¾; Chicago and Northwestern preferred, 70; Fort Wayne Railroad, 105; Michigan Southern Railroad, 81¾; New York Central, 105¾; Reading, 106; Western Union Telegraph Co., 34¾. Mining shares—Corydon, 1,15; Gregory, 5,80; Quartz Hill, 1,60; Smith & Paramalee, 5,65.

Closing New York quotations received by James T. Brady & Co.:

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| U. S. Sixes, 1881 | 111¾ |
| " 5-20s, 1862 | 113¾ |
| " " 1864 | 108½ |
| " " 1865 | 109¾ |
| " " 1867 | 108¾ |
| " 10-40s | 103¾ |
| " Compounds | 109¾ |
| August 7-30s | 107¾ |
| June 7-30s | 107¾ |
| July 7-30s | 107¾ |
| Dec. Compounds, 1864 | 107¾ |
| Gold | 141¾ |
| Silver | 134½ |

—The chief source of the activity and firmness of Governments last week has been a continuance of the demand for shipment. The foreign movement for several days past has been unusually important, the shipments since August 1st having probably been near eight millions. This large export has been partially to meet a foreign investment demand, and represents a large amount of bona fide purchases; but, considerable amounts have been sent out for the purpose of making exchange, to be sold at current high rates for both gold and bills, with the expectation of being able to buy both lower at a future day, when cotton and produce are being exported freely.

—Stocks sold Tuesday evening, Aug. 20th, on second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, by A. Melwaine, Auctioneer:

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| Citizens National Bank | 63.00 |
| Exchange | 56.50 |
| Eureka Insurance Company | 42.00 |

—It seems to be generally believed in financial circles that the present easy condition of the money market will continue for some time to come. There is an abundance of disposable capital seeking investment in all the great financial cities, and this aggregate is swelled by large accessions of foreign capital, which is driven from the British and other European markets by the long continued stagnation that has shut up some of the usual outlets for the temporary employment of floating balances. It is also urged that so far as England is concerned the tendency of capital will still be to come to this country, under the vague fears engendered by the new reform bill of that country. It is probable that the panic that for some time to come our money market will continue to receive large supplies from abroad. And it must be acknowledged that if this movement should only last till the close of the year we shall have arrived at a critical point beyond which we have less to fear, as our more pressing monetary wants will have been provided for, and the crops will, for the most part, have come forward.

—Relative to the successful funding, by the time of maturity, of the first of August, 1864, issue of the great national Seven Thirty loan—an issue which originally amounted to three hundred millions, out of a grand total of $830,000,000 of all three series of Seven Thirties marketed, chiefly through the Government loan Agency of Mr. Jay Cooke—the *Financial Chronicle*, of Saturday, has the following remarks:

"On Thursday the first series of Seven Thirty three year notes fell due, and it is a gratifying illustration of the public approval of Mr. McCulloch's management for anticipating their payment and conversion into bonds, that only about ten millions are now outstanding, as the holders of 290 millions have already accepted the very liberal terms of the Secretary and have passed their notes into the Treasury on the terms he has proposed heretofore. It cannot be denied in the Treasury and to the public these terms were equally advantageous, first, because they have saved the Treasury from a heavy demand for currency, which would have embarrassed its operations and overloaded the money market; and secondly, because the holders of the Seven Thirties have received for every $100 they lent the Government a handsome premium in cash, or else have exchanged their notes for a gold-bearing bond worth that premium in the market. To meet the wants of the holders of the outstanding ten millions, the following notice has been issued by the Secretary of the Treasury:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Aug. 13, 1867.

The privilege of converting Seven Thirty notes falling due on the 15th inst. into Five Twenty bonds bearing date the 1st day of July, 1867, will be extended to the 15th day of September next. All notes of this issue which shall not have been presented for conversion by the day last named will be paid on presentation at the Treasury of the United States and at the offices of Assistant Treasurers at Boston, New York and Philadelphia, in currency.

HUGH McCULLOCH.

During the last two days quite a number of the holders of the August Seven Thirties, as we are informed, have presented them for payment at par, as they did not wish to change them for bonds. Government offers two options, namely, the payment of the Seven Thirties in cash at par, or else their conversion into Five Twenty gold-bearing bonds. The latter option will be seen, by reference to the notice we copy above, will expire on the 15th of September, after which date the holders of Seven Thirty notes will not be able to claim a bond in exchange, but will be paid off at the principal at par with interest to the date of payment.

We cannot dismiss the consideration of the first series of Seven Thirties, which will soon disappear from the schedule of the public debt, without congratulating Mr. McCulloch on the success of this part of his machinery for funding. We will recollect the pressure for money which embarrassed the National Treasury toward the close of 1864, when the issue of these notes first began; and we remember, too, that the Seven Thirties, and by other similar means, we raised in the fiscal year, without injury to business or trouble in the money market, the prodigious sum of $1,200,000,000 for the support of the public credit, being a larger amount than was ever produced in the same space of time from loans and taxes by any nation in the world."

### PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, August 20, 1867.

CRUDE—It was hoped that with the return of some of the leading "manipulators" from Oreseon that the market would again begin to show some signs of life; but thus far, we regret to say, these expectations have not been realized. There was not a single operation in crude to-day, at least there were none reported, and with but few buyers, and indications favorable for a bulk rise, the market continues weak with a drooping tendency, when compared with Monday there is little or no change in prices. Spot oil may be quoted dull at 16@16½c, and these figures will also apply to "first water;" for the last four months, sales might possibly be effected at 16½c, seller's option, or 1lc, buyer's option. In the present condition of the market, and in the absence of sales, it is simply impossible to give correct quotations.

REFINED—The operations in bonded oil were also very slim to-day, the reported sales, all told, reaching only two thousand barrels. Compared with Monday, however, prices have undergone little or no change. Spot oil as well as all this month, ruled a shade lower, while September sold at a slight advance. For instance, all this month, buyer's option, sold at 27½ against 28c, and September sold at 29½ to-day, against 29c yesterday. Sales of 500 bbls for October, buyer's option, at 31; 500 for August, at 27½; and 1000 for September, same option, at 29½. A Philadelphia operator, who is now in Philadelphia, telegraphed on Monday that "the stock in that market is 97,000 bbls, while the vessels loading require but fourteen thousand bbls—market very weak."

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

Nat. Ref. & Mf. Co. 160 bbls refined, to F. A. Dilworth, Philadelphia.

Aladdin Oil Co, 370 do do, to F A Dilworth & Co, Philadelphia.

Wightman & Anderson, 200 do do, to P. Wright & Sons, Philadelphia.

McCreery & Beaumont, 111 do do, to W. P. Logan & Bro, Philadelphia.

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY PENNSYLVANIA DEPOT.

Waring, King & Co., 20 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.

W. McCutcheon, 65 do residuum to Wallace & Curtis, Philadelphia.

## Financial Matters in New York.

**Gold Closed at 141¾@141¾.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, August 20, 1867.

MONEY AND GOLD.

Money is moderately active at 4@6 per cent. on call loans. Sterling is quiet at 109¾@109¾. Gold opened at 141¼ and closed at 141¼@141¾.

GOVERNMENT

Stocks are scarcely so firm. Coupons '81, 111¾; do. '82, 113¾; do. '84, 109½; do. '65, 110½; do. '67, 110½; Ten-Forties, 102¾; Seven-Thirties, 107¾; Second and Third series, 107¾.

STOCKS.

Stocks opened lower and closed better though quiet, and the following were the

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

At 5:30 P. M.—Ohio Certificates, 26¼@26¾; Canton, 46@48; Cumberland, 33@35; Quicksilver, 28¾; Mariposa, 10@10½; Western Union Telegraph, 34¼@34¾; Pacific Mail, 148@148¾; Atlantic do, 113@113¾; New York Central, 105¼@105¾; Erie, 69¾@70; Hudson, 134@134½; Reading, 104¼@104¾; Michigan Central, 109@109½; Michican Southern, 81¾@81¾; Illinois Central, 119½@119¾; Pittsburgh, 92¾@92¾; Toledo, 122@122½; Rock Island, 102¾@103; Northwestern, 65¾@65¾; Northwestern preferred, 69¾@69¾; Fort Wayne, 104¾@104¾; Wabash, 48¾@49; Adam's Express, 74½@75; American, 74@75; United States, 74@75; Wells and Fargo, 66@66¼; Merchant's Union, 18; Missouri Sixes, 102½; New Tennessee, 65.

MINING SHARES.

Mining shares quiet; Smith & Parmlee 330@340; Midas 235@245; Corydon 115; Quartz Hill 175@180; Gregory 580; Bennehoff Run Petroleum 305@315 New York & Allegheny 300.

SUB-TREASURY RECEIPTS.

The receipts of the Sub-Treasury were: $1,598,025; payments—$1,919,522; balance—$136,917,128.

**St. Louis Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, August 10.—Tobacco active and lugs advanced 50c, shipping and manufacturing grades 10 per 100. Hemp higher and firm at $2,85@2,95 for dressed, and $1,90@1,95 for undressed. Cotton no sales reported. Flour quiet, buyers standing off; superfine 7@8c higher; extra $9,75@10,00; good double extra $10,50@11,00; treble do $11,50@12,00; choice $12,00@12,75. Wheat less active except for choice and fancy, which are scarce; prime choice spring and Ohio, $1,20@1,35; red fall ranges $2,15@2,35; white $2,25@2,40. Corn advanced but was slow at quotations; white 93@94c; yellow 96@91c; mixed 90@91c. Oats advanced 1@2c. Rye higher at 98@91,00. Provisions steady. Mess Pork $24,50. Bacon shoulders 12½@12¾; clear rib sides 15; clear sides 15@15½. Lard unchanged. Whisky $2,05. Receipts—4,140 bbls flour; 11,854 bu. wheat; 1,365 sacks corn; 1,567 bu oats; 164 do rye; and 23 do barley. Weather cloudy and cool to-day, with a light rain last night.

**Buffalo Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BUFFALO, August 20.—Receipts—wheat 20,000 bus, corn 20,000 bus, oats 15,000 bus, rye 10,000. Shipments—Flour 5,200 bbls, wheat 2,300 bus, corn 63,000 and oats 11,000 bus. Flour lower; new spring $9,00@10,00; white St. Louis $12. Wheat quiet and buyers holding off; sales of 7,000 bus new white Michigan at $2,50@2,55, also 2,000 bus new red Ohio at $2,20 and 8,000 bus No. 3 Chicago at $1,35. Oats quiet and unchanged. Corn opened dull and closed 1 cents lower; sales of 26,000 bus, rejected at $1,02; also 30,000 bus, No 2 western at $1,04 and 40,000 bus, do at $1,03. Rye—no nominal at $1,25. Barley unchanged. Mess pork, lard and high-wines dull and unchanged.

**Chicago Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, August 20.—Weather clear and cool. Flour firm but unchanged. Wheat 2@3c higher at $1,30@1,31 for spring; $1,36@1,37 for No. 2. Corn quiet and ½@1c lower at the opening, but the price rallied and closed at 95@95½c for No. 2. Oats active and 2c lower at 49½@51c. Rye active and 8c higher, at $1,15 for No. 1 and $1,16 for No. 2. Barley more active at $1,01@1,06 for No. 2. Mess Pork nominal at $23@23,25. Lard 12½@12¾c. Receipts—57,000 barrels flour; 101,000 bus wheat; 181,000 bush corn; 124,000 bush oats. Shipments—9,000 barrels flour; 20,000 bush wheat; 148,000 bush corn 50,000 bush oats.

**New Orleans Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, August 20.—Cotton firm; sales of 650 bales low middling at 26½c; receipts for past three days 645 bales, exports 3,125. Sugar; no sales of importance; fully fair Louisiana 12½@13c, Cuba No. 12 12½c. Choice Molasses 60@65c. Flour nominal; dealers asking an advance; no sales; superfine $8,75. Corn dull; stock light; white and mixed $1,10@1,12½. Oats firm at 70c. Pork quiet and firm at $26. Lard quiet; jobbing sales at 14½c for barrels and tierces, and 14½@15c for kegs. Gold 140@140½. Sterling 50@55. New York Exchange ½c premium.

**Louisville Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, August 20.—Flour in advancing; sales 1700 bbls at $8,50@8,00; common to medium leaf, $5,75@6,50; cutting, 10@12c, and wrappers and manufacturing, 13@20c. Flour; superfine family, $7,00@7,25. Wheat; prime, $2,06@2,07. Corn, 90@92c, delivered. Oats, bulk, 39@40c. Rye, $1,00@1,10. Barley, 60@70c. Mess Pork $26,75. Bacon; shoulders 12½@13c; clear sides, 16@16½; fancy hams, 20@22c, all packed. Cotton steady at 24@25c. Sweet Kentucky Sugaring, 12@13c. Raw Whiskey in bond active at 20@22c; new copper, 65@73.

**Milwaukee Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, August 20.—Flour quiet; city double extra, $10,75@11,00; country do., $9,75@10,25; extra, $8,25@9,25. Wheat firm; spring 1c higher; $1,90 for No. 1, and $1,80@1,85 for No. 2. Oats lower; 46c for No. 1, and 46½c for No. 2. Corn firm at 86@86c for No. 1. Receipts—600 bbls flour; 5,500 bus wheat; 6,000 bus oats; 1,000 bus corn. Shipments—500 bbls flour; 300 bus oats; 600 bus corn.

**Philadelphia Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, August 20.—Petroleum declined; sales of 4,500 bbls refined standard white at 27c. Flour quiet; spring extra $11,50. Wheat active and in demand; prime $2,40. Rye $1,55. Corn advancing; mixed western, $1,25. Oats dull; sales of 3,000 bus at 66c.

**Cleveland Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, August 20.—Wheat firm but unchanged; No. 1 winter red at $2,16, No. 2 held at $2,10. Corn active, firmer and higher; No. 1 at 96@96½; prime yellow at $1,02. Oats are active and unchanged at 65c from store, and 63c on track. Rye, at $1,15.

**Chicago Cattle Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, August 20.—Beef Cattle more active and 25@50c higher, at $5@5 for good to choice steers. Hogs active and 10@15c higher, at $6,50@6,85 for good to choice smooth; receipts 2,000 head. Sheep moderately active and unchanged.

**Detroit Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

DETROIT, August 20.—Flour firm at $11,25@11,50 for white Superfine. Wheat opened at $2,25 for No. 1 white, advanced to $2,28, and closed at $2,25 as the best bid, with sellers holding for $2,27, extra white $2,30@2,40.

**Memphis Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, August 20.—Cotton dull @26c. Flour—Extra, $9,25. Corn—whole range $1,00@1,05. Oats 62@65c. Hay $27@29. Bran $19@18. Pork $32. Shoulders 15@16c. Clear Sides 19½@17½c. Lard 15¾@16c.

**New York Dry Goods Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Dry Goods although no general animation has yet sprung up, still steady, and a fair demand for all staple styles, and thermarket is firm.

**Oswego Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

OSWEGO, August 20.—Flour steady. Wheat firm and quiet. Corn scarce and quiet.

**San Francisco Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, August 20.—Wheat $1,75@1,80. Legal Tenders 71@72.

**IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.**

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, August 20—15 bbls lime, W W Wallace; 6 pkgs ink, Means & Coffin; 43 pcs marble, Anderson, Boyd & Co; 15 do slaty quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm and moderately active; receipts of 23,181 bush; sales, 21,000 bushels at $2,25½@2,26 for new amber Southern; $2,24 for new red State; $2,42 for seed amber Genesee; $2,35 for new amber Michigan; $2,30 for new white Genesee, and $2,40 for choice new white Michigan. Rye 2@3c better, quiet; sales of small parcels at $1,78 for Canada, and $1,60@1,85 for new Ohio. Barley dull. Malt in demand, sales of 5,700 bus, part at $1,60. Corn active and firmer; receipts of 92,792 bushels; sales of 202,000 bushels at $1,13@1,15½ for new mixed western afloat, $1,13@1,15½ do in store, 1,09@1,12, unsound, $1,16 for high mixed, nearly yellow, in store, and $1,16 for white western afloat. Receipts. Oats, 9,777 bu. heavy, unsettled and lower; sales of 2,000 bu. at 79@80c. for inferior old western; 80c new State; 80@81c, southern; 85@90 new Ohio and Chicago. Rise is nominal. Coffee, 10c, 10 bbls steady with a fair demand; other qualities are unchanged. Sugar is steady; sales of 1,500 hhds. at 11¾@12¼c for Cuba. Molasses is quiet and without change. Hops, quiet at 30@35. Petroleum is quiet and steady. Pork is firmer; sales of 6,250 bbls. at $25,25@25,37 for new; closing at $25,50 for regular; $25,75 for old mess; $19,75@20,00 for prime, $22,75 for prime mess. Beef is firm; sales of 195 bbls. Beef hams are dull and unchanged. Bacon is quiet and steady; sales of 300 boxes at the—Lancashire hams, 13c; Long ribbed middles, 13½c; long cut hams. Cut meats are unchanged; sales of 180 packages. Lard is a shade firmer; sales of 1,200 bbls. at 12¾@13c, and small lots at 13½c. Butter is steady at 21@25c. Cheese is firm at 7@13½c. Freights to Liverpool are unsettled. $1,50 asked for 31 per sailing vessel; $1,41 per steamer.

LATEST, 5 P. M.—Flour blood firm, advancing for old and quiet and heavy for new. Wheat quiet and holders are disposed to realize at previous prices. Rye very scarce and tending strongly upward; small sales of new Ohio at $1,80. Corn quiet at $1,12@1,14 for good to prime new mixed Western and $1,09@1,11 for unsound do. Pork steady; sales of 1,200 bbls mess at $25,-20@25,25 for cash and regular. Beef a little more active at steady prices. Cut meats nominal. Bacon firm with a fair business doing. Lard very firm at 13¾@13¾c for fair to prime steam, and 13¾@13¾c for kettle rendered.

**Cincinnati Market.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, August 20.—Flour firmer but prices unchanged. Wheat firmer; No 1 red $2,18 and white $2,35. There is a shipping demand for white. Corn advanced to 90c per No 1 in bulk. Oats firmer; No 1 56c. Rye firmer and sold at $1,17@1,18; receipts light. Barley in demand at $1,25. Cotton dull; 26 @26½c for middlings. Whisky steady at $2,00 in bond. Mess Pork held firmly at $25,50. Hams held firmly at full prices but remain unchanged; there was an active demand for clear rib and clear bacon sides from the south and west; sales of 250 hhds. at 14@16c for clear; shoulders firm at 12½c. Lard quiet at 12¾@12½c. Butter scarce and 2@4c higher owing to the failure of pasturage; choice 20@24c. Cheese dull and unchanged. Linseed oil dull at $1,15. Receipts 34,000 bbls flour, 3,000 bus wheat, 6,000 bus corn, 646 do do, Nimick & Co; 2 cars iron ore, Bryan & Caughey; 28 sks oats, 5 do corn, 1 car oats, M J Neel; 1 car oats and corn, 50 sks oats, Jas Glenn; 4 rolls leather, G N Hoffstott; 20 sacks oats, 3 do potatoes, R Campbell; 19 bgs seed, G A Martin; 7 bbls apples, J Hoffman; 3 do do, W B Voigt & Co; 1 bx eggs, W J Steel & Bro; 3 do do, Hilleman; 9 do oats, W Bingham; 20 do do, McCulloch, Smith & Co; 1 pkg tobacco, J H Hoffman; 1 bbl eggs, S Cooper; 10 do do, Gray & Reiter; 56 bbls apples, 1 keg plums, Fetzer & Armstrong; 10 do do do, W Kirkpatrick & Co; 10 do do do, 4 do eggs, W J Steel & Bro; 357 bush corn, J & W Fairley; 104 bbls oil, Wm McCutcheon; 25 do vinegar, A Bilicke; 1 do do, Rudolph & Martin; 1 bx do, Hubbard, Bro & Co; 1 tub lard, 1 bx meat, 5 sks rags, 7 do wheat, 2 bbls apples, 1 do pears, J Hoffman.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R.R., August 20—1 car fire brick, Hussey, Wells & Co; 1 pump, 1 bx ware, Davis & Phillips; 2 bbls eggs, W J Steel & Bro; 1 car oats and corn, H Voigt & Co; 1 car headings, Raiya & Robertson; 2 do stone, Mackin & McCabe; 14 bxs cheese, L H Voigt & Co; 11 do do do, W H Kinkaid; 1 car bdls flags, Lockart & Drew; 2 printing press, W Heckert; 4 bxs axles, Forsyth & Co; 6 valves, Atlas Works; 4 kgs nuts, Wood, Mathers & Co; 2 sks nails, Mead & Dickson & Co; 1 box dry goods, Bates & Bell; 5 sks bbls, Pier, Daniels & Co; 100 bdls paper, McKee & Co; 100 bdls do do, Mellenry & Hand & Schuyler; 14 sks oats, McHenry & Sears. Hand; 2 kgs butter, J Heck; 1 organ, C O Mellor; 2 bbl ale, 13 ale bbls, Spencer & Co; 40 tes lard, Seiders & Co; 100 bbls flour, J Gardiner; 100 do do, Farmer bbls Wm Co; 100 do do, Eagle & Neal & Hamaker; E H Myers & Co; 100 do do, Eagle & Neal & Hamaker; 100 do do, Wm Wilson; 200 do do, T C Jenkins; 2 cars bran, Schneebaum & Schatt; 11 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & Blair.

PITTSBURGH, COLUMBUS & CINCINNATI R.R., August 20—1 bbls apples, E M Jenkins; 32 do do, Voigt & Co; 1 box hams, J Longer; 3 cases tobacco, A S Snider; 3 bbls do do, S Swartz & Co; 2 kgs butter, J Heck; 1 organ, C O Mellor; 2 bbl ale, 13 ale bbls, Spencer & Co; 40 tes lard, Seiders & Co; 100 bbls flour, J Gardiner; 100 do do, Farmer bbls Wm Co; 100 do do, Eagle & Neal & Hamaker; E H Myers & Co; 100 do do, Eagle & Neal & Hamaker; 100 do do, Wm Wilson; 200 do do, T C Jenkins; 2 cars bran, Schneebaum & Schatt; 11 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & Blair.

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ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD August 20—1 car metal, Nimick & Co; 126 bbls oil, Fisher & Bro; 1 car fire clay, J Lemon; 1 car pig iron, H Woodcock; 2 cars fire clay, S M Kier & Co; 3 bxs 2 firkins butter, 1 bx 2 bbls eggs, 1 coop chickens, W Colver; 2 coops chickens, 2 calves, J Hoffman; 1 bbl eggs, S Cooper; 1 do do, Gray & Reiter; 7 do do, Voigt & Co; 46 sks rye, W J Meek; 25 sks rye, W Shildon; 20 sks oats, Wm Bingham; 41 do do, Adams & Austin; 166 pkgs to marketing at various owners.

ALLEGHENY STATION, August 20—24 sks oats, 6 do rye, Kennedy & Lohrop; 19 cases boots, J Patterson; 180 sks Bassed, Ewer & Hamilton; 3 cars staves, Raiya & Robertson; 8 bxs window glass, Jos Craig; 13 sks oats, Nasbigian; 150 sks Bassed, 1 car do, M B Sugham; 157 sks oats, 6 do rye, Stewart & Langenheim; 46 bdls paper, Pitts Paper Co; 1 car shingles, McCurdy & McGinnis; 16 pkgs produce, John Herbert; 1 car wheat, McKee & Co; 26 bbls pears, Owens & Kennedy; 18 bxs wine, H F Swartz; 144 sks oats, S O McMasters; 1 barrel eggs, Shultz & Son.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE R.R., August 19—2 pcs tobacco, Pietzfield & Co; 1 bbl sorghum, Fetzer & Armstrong; 7 kgs nuts, Lewis, Oliver & Phillips; 25 bdls iron, W F Armstrong; 3 cars charcoal, Moorhead & Co; 10 tons rags, Watters, Watt & Co; 20 do do, McCulley & Co; 10 do do, A & D H Chambers.


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**RIVER NEWS.**

The heavy rain of Monday night has made no perceptible impression on our rivers as yet; indeed, the Allegheny fell considerably, and was reported receding at Oil City yesterday forenoon. The weather continues cloudy and unsettled, with every appearance of more rain.

The Leni Leoti, announced to leave for Parkersburg yesterday, did not get off, it not being deemed prudent to send her out with less than two feet in the channel, and the river falling. The prospects of a rise drew a great many steamboatmen to the landing, but otherwise, there was nothing done, and towards evening the levee was again deserted, and presented a dull and cheerless appearance.

Captains W. B. Donaldson, C. A. Bravo and J. W. Anawalt, left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh Saturday evening.

The St. Louis *Democrat*, of Saturday, says: Mr. Geo. Moore, a well known Illinois river steamboat clerk, performed his last work yesterday on the Lacon. He has withdrawn from the river, having accepted the position of commercial editor on the Quincy *Herald*. He goes to Quincy next week.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that money paid by passengers for food cannot be regarded as constituting a part of the gross receipts of a steamboat, or other vessels, for their transportation. If separate and distinct sums are paid—one for transportation, the other for food—the amount received for the latter need not be returned for taxation under section 160. An excessive charge for food, however, and a corresponding low charge for transportation, should be looked upon as attempted evasion of the law, and be taxed upon the revenue. If the amount paid as passage money covers both transportation and food, the whole should be returned, the amount actually expended for the food for the passengers should then be allowed as a deduction, and a tax of 2½ per cent. should be assessed upon the balance.

At ten o'clock Tuesday night, about twelve miles from Montreal, C. W., the propeller Magnet, bound for Montreal, collided with the steamer Bay State, from Ogdensburg. The Magnet sunk in sixty feet of water, five minutes after striking. The crew and passengers were brought to Kingston by the Bay State.

Richard Richardson, collector of the city of Vicksburg, has given notice that all transient boats plying between that city and points in the water-front limits of that city will, in accordance with the laws of Mississippi and the ordinances of the city, be required to pay an annual license tax of $25 each. Regular packets, terminating their trips at Vicksburg, will be required to pay $50 license. The penalty of violating this law is a fine of not less than $25 nor more than $500, or an imprisonment of not less than one week nor more than three months.

The Sucker State, according to the Saint Paul *Press*, "has her heaviest passenger trip of the season, and her officers think a more crowded one than any other boat on the river this year. The total number of passengers landed at St. Cloud was 600 and 500 cabin. At Davenport alone, 170 of these came on board, while there was landed at Winona 126, at La Crosse 100 and Mc Gregor 50. At one time there was so many deck passengers on board that the clerks found it impossible to collect their fares, and 1,000 tickets were turned in at the bank and all but her cabin passengers sent on shore. The clerks then stationed themselves at the gangway and examined the tickets as they re-embarked, the operation resulting in their collecting over $1,000, before landing, they had brought all there were but a few who had not paid."

The Dubuque *Herald*, of Thursday, has the following: Towing rafts is becoming a business of considerable importance, and saves money and time over the old method of letting them float down. Thirty miles a day against the current is the rate of speed now attained. On the last down trip of the Grey Eagle she towed a fleet of one million eight hundred thousand feet of lumber. She was out nineteen days making the trip from Stillwater.

The Cincinnati *Commercial*, of Monday, says: The Minnesota, Grey Eyed Erwin and Iris Rees notify shippers that they will receive freight only on the new style bill of lading adopted by the U. M. Association, on August 14. This announcement has created quite a stir among our merchants, who declare that they will not ship any freight under the regulations referred to in the new bill of lading. The steamboatmen also assert that they will not receive or carry any freight unless it is by the new bill of lading. So far, the committees on the part of the steamboatmen and those for the merchants have been unable to come to any conclusion, but we expect to hear in a day or two about their compromising the matter.

The following article from the Davenport, Iowa) *Gazette*, in reference to the introduction of steam on canals, may prove interesting: "Steam navigation on canals is a problem of mechanical engineering not yet entirely solved. The propelling power is either so great as to wash away the banks, or so weak as to make no headway with a reasonable load. On the Erie Canal a trial has been made with a boat, the inventor of which claims to have obviated all the difficulties in the way of success. The reciprocating railway propeller consists in floats attached to an endless chain, passing backward in the water between the sides of the boat and external guards. One hundred square feet of surface are applied to the water forty times a minute. An experimental boat has been towed under the supervision of the Erie Canal engineers to their complete satisfaction. A working boat will be put on the canal next spring, and by the busy month of October, and if this fulfills the promise of past trials, a sufficient number of boats will be put on to perform the entire transportation. The questions of the comparative merits of railroads and canals, as to cheapness of service, will then be brought up again, and our present ideas be revolutionized."

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